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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
HIDETOSHI EMA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: PHAM, HAI CHI  
SERIAL NO: 09/873,256 :  
FILED: JUNE 5, 2001 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2861  
FOR: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS :  
FOR CONTROLLING IMAGE WRITING  
BY ADJUSTING IMAGE CLOCK

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated May 11, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 19 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 20 of this paper.